GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

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FOREIGN TRAINING TO IAS/IPS AND IFS OFFICERS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of IAS, IPS and IFS (Forest) Officers who took training abroad during the last three years, Year-wise; and

(b) the amount spent thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIS PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND M OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE. (SMT.VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a)&(b): Department of Personnel & Training has been nominating officers belonging to the Indian Administrative Service (IAS), Central Secretariat Service (CSS), State Civil Services for various training programmes abroad. In addition, such officers belonging to the Indian Police Service (IPS), Indian Forest Service (IFS) and various Group `A` Central Civil Services, as have been holdin posts in the Centre under Central Staffing Scheme, have also been nominated by the DoP&T for foreign training programmes.

In the past, till the year 1999, these officers had been deputed by this Department for training programmes abroad under various technical programmes such as Colombo Plan, Indo-Australia Training and Capacity Building Project, which had been fully funded by the foreign governments/donor agencies. However, due to withdrawal of sponsorship by Government of U.K., 26 officers were deputed with funding by Government of India (through Department of Personnel & Training) to three programmes in U.K during 2000-2001. A total amount of Rs. 2 crore, 86 lacs (approximately) has been incurred on the training of these 26 officers.

During the year 2001-2002, a total of 25 officers have been deputed to attend training programmes in U.K. and in Manila by funding of this Department. An amount of Rs. 2 crore, 63 lacs (approximately) has been incurred on the training of these 25 officers.